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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR RESEARCH
AND INTELLIGENCE
DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE, GENERAL STAFF, UNITED STATES ARMY
CHIEF OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE
DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE, HEADQUARTERS, U.S. AIR FORCE
DIRECTOR OF SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE, ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION
DEPUTY DIRECTOR, JOINT INTELLIGENCE GROUP, JOINT STAFF

Subject: Rewriting by the Original Working Committee as a Proposed NSCID #7
Proposed DCI 1/6 of 30 October 1947, "Domestic Exploitation"

Enclosures: a. List of Representatives of the Member Agencies on the Original
Working Committee
b. Redraft of the 30 October 1947 Proposed Directive

The Interdepartmental Ad Hoc Committee which has been redrafting the
National Security Council Intelligence Directives and Director of Central In-
telligence Directives, considers that the proposed Director of Central Intel-
ligence Directive 1/6, "Domestic Exploitation", of 30 October 1947, should be
rewritten in the form of a National Security Council Directive. It was de-
cided that this cannot be done until further consideration is given to the
matter by the original working committee which prepared the earlier drafts of
the paper.

Because of the necessity of submitting the final draft of this proposed
directive to the Executive Secretary of the National Security Council as soon
as possible, it is suggested that a meeting of the original working committee
be held on Monday, 22 December, at 2:00 p.m. in the ICAPS Conference Room, No.
7117, North Interior Building. The representatives concerned of the respective
Departments on the working committee are listed in the enclosure.

The attached is a redraft of the 30 October 1947 proposed directive,
which has been modified slightly to conform to National Security Council term-
inology. This draft will be considered by the working committee on 22 December.

/s/ R.H. HILLENKOETTER
Rear Admiral, USN
Director of Central Intelligence

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REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MEMBER AGENCIES ON THE ORIGINAL WORKING
COMMITTEE

Department of State -

Mr. George R. Fearing
Mr. Philip G. Strong

Department of the Army -

Colonel A.T. Lacey
Mr. Roy Tod

Department of the Navy -

Captain Samuel W. DuBois

Army Air Forces -

Colonel Robert Taylor, III
Lt. Colonel George D. Garrett

Atomic Energy Commission -

No representatives at previous
meetings but representation is
being requested.

Joint Intelligence Group,
Joint Staff (JCS) -

No representatives

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PROPOSED

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL INTELLIGENCE DIRECTIVE NO. 7

DOMESTIC EXPLOITATION

Under the authority of paragraph 7 of National Security Council Intelligence Directive 1:

1. The Central Intelligence Agency shall be responsible for the exploitation within the United States of business concerns, other organizations, and individuals as sources of foreign intelligence information.
2. To implement this undertaking, the Central Intelligence Agency shall:
 - a. Determine the foreign intelligence potential of sources so that the best available may be selected expeditiously for exploitation upon the receipt of collection requests from the intelligence agencies.
 - b. Establish uniform procedures and standards for the security clearance of contacts in this field for the guidance and control of all pertinent agencies, including a provision for Central Intelligence Agency clearance of all proposed agency contacts.
 - c. Establish in compliance with the third proviso of Section 102 (d)(3) of the National Security Act of 1947 uniform procedures to insure that the interests of individuals and organizations will not be jeopardized.
 - d. Collection through the establishment of interagency field offices within the United States, foreign intelligence information required in the interests of the national security or by the individual intelligence agencies.
 - e. Arrange for direct contact between intelligence agency representatives and domestic non-governmental sources whenever conditions require such action or upon the request of a member agency to secure technical or other foreign intelligence information.
 - f. Obtain and maintain the overall cooperation of individuals and of responsible policy-making officials of organizations having a foreign intelligence potential.
 - g. Inform the intelligence agencies of the prospective departure from or return to the United States of selected American citizens having a high foreign intelligence potential, so that the agencies may furnish requirements or provide specialists for briefing or interrogation.
 - h. Disseminate to the appropriate agencies all foreign intelligence information obtained through this program. Reports produced by the agencies shall be identified as such.
3. Further to implement this undertaking, the intelligence agencies shall:

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- a. Assign to duty in the Central Intelligence Agency field offices, within agency capabilities, representatives to serve the interests of their respective agencies, under the direction of the CIA managers.
 - b. Send directly to the Central Intelligence Agency for collection all their requests for foreign intelligence information from domestic non-governmental sources.
 - c. Transmit to the Central Intelligence Agency for appropriate dissemination full information and reports resulting from approved direct contacts by agency representatives with domestic non-governmental sources, identifying such sources by CIA code number.
 - d. Transmit to the Central Intelligence Agency for editing, for source security, and for appropriate dissemination all foreign intelligence information which has been received by the Department of State, the components of the National Military Establishment, and the Atomic Energy Commission as a by-product of their normal relationship with American business concerns and other organizations in connection with non-intelligence activities.
 - e. Make available to the Central Intelligence Agency all information now possessed or subsequently acquired by the Department of State, the components of the National Military Establishment, and the Atomic Energy Commission concerning American individuals and organizations having foreign intelligence potential.
4. Each agency participating in this program will nominate a representative to serve on a committee, under the chairmanship of the Central Intelligence Agency, to meet periodically to consider mutual problems and interests in connection with this program.
 5. Nothing in this program shall be interpreted to affect the established relationship of the departments and agencies with business concerns, other organizations, and individuals in the United States for purposes other than the procurement of foreign intelligence information.

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Information contained on CIA Inter-Office Routing Slip.

1. Attached papers sent on 16 December 1947 FROM ASST. DIRECTOR, OPERATIONS and initialed that date: E.L.S. TO the following:
 1. Executive Office: Executive Director.
 2. Deputy Director~~x~~.
 3. Director of Central Intelligence.
 4. Central Records.
 - X. Chief, Interdepartmental Staff.
2. The recipients (as above) initialed routing slip as follows on 16 Dec 47:
 1. F
 2. Wright
 3. RHH
 4. No initials
 - X. PC
3. The routing slip was marked: ACTION
4. Handwritten note on bottom of slip as follows: "Papers signed by Director and hand carried by [] on 12-16-47. /s/ []" 25X1A
5. Routing slip classification: SECRET

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